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AMENDMENT

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action having a mailing date of October 10, 2007 please amend the application as set forth below.

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Remarks begin on page _9_ of this paper.

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